



GREETINGS

hi – hello – good morning – good afternoon – good evening – good night – goodbye – bye bye – bye – see you – see you tomorrow – see you later – see you soon – cheerio – welcome – welcome back – farewell – have a nice day

THANK YOU

Thank you, thanks
You are welcome, welcome
it was my pleasure, it's a pleasure, my pleasure
that's ok, it's ok, it's all right
not at all
not a problem, no problem, no bother
don't mind, never mind, don't mention it

CONTINENTS COUNTRIES NATIONALITIES

North/South Africa – North/South African, Asia – Asian, Europe – European, Australia – Australian, USA – American
Italy – Italian, Germany – German, France – French, Spain – Spanish, Britain – British, England – English, Scotland – Scottish, Wales – Welsh, Ireland – Irish, Canada – Canadian, Holland – Dutch, China – Chinese, Greece – Greek, Brazil – Brazilian, Japan – Japanese, Russia – Russian, Poland – Polish, Sweden – Swedish, India – Indian

COLOURS

black – white – red – yellow – blue – green – orange – pink – brown – grey – purple – violet – fuchsia
gold – silver – light blue – light green – dark blue – dark green – sky blue

PERSONAL POSSESSIONS

Sunglasses – keys – watch – iPod – skateboard – mobile phone – smartphone – glasses – schoolbag – tissues – lipstick – lip balm – rollerblades – tablet – helmet – camera – earphones – mirror – portable console – purse – wallet

FAMILY AND PEOPLE

gran – grandad – grandfather – grandmother – grandpa – grandma – grandparents – mum – dad – mother – father – parents – sister – brother – baby – uncle – aunt – cousin – nephew – niece – grandchild – child (children) – only child – daughter – son – relatives – boy – girl – man (men) – woman (women) – wife – husband – Mr – Mrs – Miss – person (people) – guy – twins

ANIMALS

PETS: dog – cat – mouse – rabbit – fish – bird – budgie – hamster – goldfish – kittens – puppies – tortoise – Guinea pig
FARM ANIMALS: horse – pony – donkey – pig – cow – bull – ox (oxen) – sheep (sheep) – duck – goat – goose – turkey – chick – chicken – hen – cock
WILD ANIMALS: giraffe – elephant – hippo – rhino – lion – tiger – jaguar – leopard – panther – crocodile – bear – panda – zebra – kangaroo – camel – snake – monkey – frog – squirrel – penguin – wolf – fox – hare – deer (deer) – flamingo – ostrich – peacock – porcupine – mole – marmot – lizard – gecko – ant – snail – spider – worm – caterpillar – bird – bee – beetle – wasp – ladybird – butterfly – parrot – owl – bat – fly – mosquito – seagull – hawk – eagle
shark – turtle (di mare) – dolphin – whale – swan – seal – octopus – jellyfish – crab – seashore – killer whale
PARTS OF: wing – tail – beak – trunk – stripes – spots – horns – paws – claws – spines – gills – fins – scales – whiskers
ABILITIES: fly – jump – run fast – walk – climb – swim – crawl

AT SCHOOL

PENCIL CASE – pen – pencil – crayon – felt-tip pen – marker – highlighter – ruler – set square – rubber/eraser – scissors – pencil sharpener – glue – calculator – compass – stapler – sellotape – correction fluid
SCHOOL BAG – book – exercise-book – copybook – notebook – note pad – spiral notebook – folder – binder – diary – piece/sheet of paper – dictionary – snack
CLASSROOM – ceiling – floor – wall – window – door – lamp – lights – chair – table – desk – cupboard – blackboard/whiteboard/chalkboard – chalk – bin/basket – clock – calendar – poster – map – globe – atlas – teacher – student

SCHOOL SUBJECTS

Italian, Maths, English, French, History, Geography, Science, ICT, Music, Sport/PE (Physical Education), Art, Religion, Social Studies, Drama, Break, Citizenship

SCHOOL PLACES

school – classroom – library – toilet – playground – gym – staffroom – corridor – dining room

MATHS

Addition (one and/plus one is two), subtraction (ten minus six equals four), multiplication (five times ten equals fifty), division (ten divided by two equals five), fractions, percentages, per cent, square root

ICT

Hardware/software - input/output devices

printer – monitor – screen – mouse – mouse pad – right/left button – click/double click – tower/case – keyboard – keys – scanner – speakers – plug – earphones – joystick – laptop – webcam – digital camera – mp3 player – pen drive/flash pen – floppy – CD (Compact Disk) – DVD (Digital Video Disc / Digital Versatile Disc)

CPU (Central Processing Unit) – HD (Hard Disk) – RAM (Random Access Memory) – ROM (Read Only Memory)

KEYBOARD – caps lock – shift – space bar – enter – backspace – delete

DESKTOP – icons – trash – computer resources – documents – internet explorer – scrollbar – toolbar – folder – cursor

Cut – copy – paste – new – save – open – close – resize – print – underline – highlight – spell check – colour

SMS (short message service)

CU@school – xoxoxoxo (kisses and hugs) – where RU? – RU OK? – PLS SAM (please, send a message) – B4n (bye for now) – UR my * – KIT (keep in touch) – I'm @ home

TIME

- 60 Seconds, 60 minutes, 24 hours, 7 days, 12 months, 100 years, centuries

- Days of the week

- Parts of day (sunrise, morning, noon, afternoon, sunset, evening, night, midnight)

- Months of the year

- Seasons of the year

Autumn (leaf, tree, mushroom, umbrella, wind)

Winter (snow, snowman, snowflakes, snowballs)

Spring (nest, flowers, tree, butterfly, snail, bird, sun, sky, cloud)

Summer (sun, sunglasses, sunflower, ice-cream, fish, sea, boat, sail, beach, beach-umbrella, beach-hat, mountain, river, lake, wind, cloud, bike, garden)

- DATE

What day is it today? Is today Monday?

What's the date today? Monday, October 23rd 2007 | autumn, foggy

Today, this morning, this afternoon, this evening, tonight

yesterday, the day before yesterday, yesterday morning, yesterday afternoon, yesterday evening, last night

tomorrow, the day after tomorrow, tomorrow morning, tomorrow afternoon, tomorrow evening, tomorrow night

last Monday, last weekend, last week, last month, last year, ago

- Early/late, now, again

- Celebrations (New Year's Day, Mother's Day, Father's Day, May Day, birthday, summer holidays, Halloween, Christmas, Easter)

HOUSE

Flat – city | house – town | cottage – village

upstairs – downstairs – stairs – floor (on the 4th floor) – wall – lift

Living room (sofa, armchair, bookcase, floor lamp, clock, picture, piano, plant, fireplace, coffee-table, carpet "moquette", rug, vase of flowers)

bedroom (bed, blankets, pillow, wardrobe, drawers, shelves, bookshelf, bookcase, desk, chair, curtains, lamp, reading lamp, picture, poster, clock, PC, radio, TV, CD player, hook)

bathroom + shower room (bath, shower, toilet, mirror, washbasin, towel, washing machine)

kitchen (fridge, cooker, oven, sink, dishwasher, notice board, table, chairs, shelf, cupboard, drawer, glasses, cutlery, knife, fork, spoon, coffee spoon, bowl, cups, jug, plates)

hall | dining room | attic | study | guest room | basement

garden | yard | fence | rain gutters | porch | garage | balcony | roof | chimney

FREE TIME ACTIVITIES

INDOOR ACTIVITIES play videogames/chess/draughts/table football/cards, do puzzles/crosswords/Sudoku, watch TV, listen to music, read a book/comic/newspaper/magazine, relax at home, collect stamps/butterflies/cards/comics/fossils/shells/coins/stickers, send text messages, write emails, surf the Internet

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES visit/meet/go out with/hang out with/play with friends, do gardening/sport, go to the park/cinema, go shopping, wash the car, walk the dog

SPORT AND MUSIC

swim, ski, skate, skip, jump, dance, sing, run, ride a bike, ride a horse, canoe

play tennis, play football, play volleyball, play basket, play table tennis, play rugby, play cricket,

do gymnastics, do athletics, do aerobics, do yoga, do judo, do karate

go surfing, go swimming, go snowboarding, go cycling, go fishing

play the piano, play the guitar, play the violin, play the tambourine, play the triangle, play the drums, play the recorder, play the trumpet

canoe, football, skis, racket

DAILY ROUTINE

Wake up, get up, have breakfast, have ... for breakfast, get dressed, brush one's teeth/face, comb one's hair, dry one's hair, go to school, go to work, drive to work, work, have lessons, go home, get home, cook, have lunch, have ... for lunch, eat, drink, do one's homework, go shopping, clean the house, read a newspaper, have a bath, have a shower, have dinner, have ... for dinner, watch TV, go to bed, fall asleep, sleep, dream

HAVE have a shower/bath, have breakfast/lunch/dinner/a snack, have a nap, have a party, have lessons

HOUSEHOLD CHORES

Making the beds, dusting, sweeping, washing the floor, doing the shopping, cooking, laying the table, clearing the table, doing the washing-up, tidying the room, doing the laundry, hanging the washing, ironing, taking the dog out, mowing the lawn, putting the rubbish out

FOOD

bread – rolls - sandwich – pizza

appetizer - aperitif

pasta – spaghetti – rice - porridge – soup

steak – roast - veal roast – roast beef - hamburger – stew - sausages - hot dog – bacon - wurstel – ham – fish – tuna -

cheese - salad – chips - dairy products - peanuts

oil – vinegar - mayonnaise – ketchup – condiments – soy sauce – mustard

chocolate – sweets – cake – pie – muffin - ice-cream – biscuits – crisps

VEGETABLES: carrot – tomato – potato – lettuce – celery – pumpkin – eggplant/aubergine - cucumber – bell pepper –

artichoke – broccoli – corn – beans – peas – zucchini - mushrooms – onion -

SPICES AND HERBS: basil, garlic, mint, oregano, pepper, rosemary, sage, salt, thyme, parsley

FRUIT: apple - banana – lemon – orange – strawberry – pear – peach – cherry – pine apple – grapes – grape fruit -

melon - water melon – mandarin – fig – plum – apricot – date – blackberry – blueberry – raspberry - coconut

DRINKS: water – milk – cola - lemonade – orange juice – tea – coffee – wine - milkshake

BREAKFAST: water, milk, orange juice, tea, coffee, milkshake, butter, bread, eggs, honey, jam, sugar, cereal, toast, yoghurt, croissant, pastry

MEAT: chicken, beef, lamb, pork, mince, poultry

MEALS: breakfast – snack - lunch – dinner

PARTS OF: A piece of cheese – a packet of crisps – a glass/bottle of water/wine – a slice of cake – a cup of tea/coffee – a bar of chocolate – a can of cola – a loaf of bread

BODY

head – face – neck – shoulder - chest - arm – elbow – hand (right/left) – wrist – fingers (thumb, fore finger, middle, ring finger, little finger) – thumb - stomach – belly - back – waist - hip - bottom – backside – thigh – leg – knees – calf – ankle – foot – heel – toes - big toe

FACE

hair - forehead – eyelash – eyebrow – eyes – freckles – cheek – nose – moustache – beard – ears – mouth – lips - teeth – tongue - chin – jaw – wrinkles

PHYSICAL AND MENTAL STATES

Moods (sad/happy – excited/bored – tired – angry – afraid – scared/frightened – confused – in love – quiet/noisy – fed up – upset – worried)

fed up – upset – worried – nervous (teso) – bored – embarrassed – depressed – disappointed – discouraged – disgusted – enthusiastic – relieved – satisfied – surprised

Needs (hungry – thirsty – cold – hot – sleepy – in a hurry)

I get nervous when I have to do a classtest

I get tired when I study all day

I get bored when I have nothing to do

I get worried when I have to go to the dentist's

I get angry when I fail an English test

I get scared 7 frightened when I read a ghost story at night

I get embarrassed when I have to sing in front of people

I get confused when I don't understand something

I get excited when I receive presents on my birthday

How do you feel?

CLOTHES

dress – suit – shirt – blouse – t-shirt – top – jumper/sweater – cardigan – sweatshirt – vest/waistcoat – overalls – jacket – trousers – pants – shorts – jeans – baggy jeans – leggings – skirt – shoes – boots – trainers – socks – stockings – tights – underpants – knickers – bra – apron – gloves – scarf – coat – raincoat – windbreaker – tracksuit – swimsuit – swimming trunks – swimming costume – bikini – sandals – flip flops – pyjamas – slippers

ACCESSORIES

hat – cap – bag – glasses – watch – mobile phone – umbrella – tie – belt – earrings – rings – bracelet – necklace – jewels – hair clip – hair band – ribbon – wallet – purse – handkerchief – tissues

WEATHER

What's the weather like? It's...

Sunny, cloudy, windy, rainy, foggy, misty, freezing, frosty, snowy, clearing up, dry, wet

Very hot – hot – warm – cool – chilly – cold – freezing – 20 degrees

Storm – thunderstorm (temporale) – sandstorm – snowstorm – hailstorm – lightning (fulmine) – thunder (tuono)

It's raining cats and dogs

It's pouring (a dirotto)

It's drizzling (pioviggina)

It showers (è intermittente)

PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Height (tall – short – of medium/average height)

Weight/Build (thin – fat – slim – plump – medium/average build/weight)

Appearance (pretty/beautiful – handsome/good-looking – ugly)

Age (old/elderly – young – middle-aged)

Hair (long – short – medium length – curly – straight – wavy – bald – blonde – black – brown – red – grey – white – reddish brown, fir, dark) *long, curly, brown hair

Eyes (blue – green – brown – dark – grey)

Face (square – round – oval – long)

Other (wear glasses/sunglasses – have a beard/a moustache/freckles – pointy chin/thin nose/bushy eyebrows/a scar/a mole/long nails/a fringe – fair-skinned/dark-skinned)

What do you look like?

PERSONALITY

Hard-working, friendly, brave, kind, reliable, emotional, self-confident, passionate, jealous, creative, idealistic, relaxed, home-loving, cheerful, rebellious, sensitive, funny, kind, shy, polite, generous, active, out-going, moody, selfish, lazy, rude, nasty (cattivo), talkative, reserved, optimistic, pessimistic, calm, aggressive, romantic, adventurous

She's very polite; she always says please and thank you

Lisa always smiles and laughs; she's a very cheerful person

John likes meeting new people and visiting new places; he's out-going / friendly

Freddie is always doing something; he's very active

Uncle Peter is very generous; he always gives me presents

My granny always listens to me when I have a problem; she is very kind
 She is moody; sometimes she's happy and sometimes she's sad
 My sister never lets me use her CD player; she's very selfish
 Jason doesn't like meeting new people because he's shy
 Max always stays in bed till midday; he never does anything; he is lazy
 My brother never says please and thank you: he's rude
 If you tell Janet a secret, you can be sure she'll tell everyone; she is so nasty

OPPOSITES

Big/small-little, long/short, high/low, large/narrow, huge/small, new/old, young/old, good/bad, lovely/horrible, difficult/easy, right/wrong, rich/poor, cruel/kind, fast/slow, cheap/expensive, true/false, right/left, happy/sad, fat/thin, round/square, pretty/ugly, nice/terrible, hot/cold, up/down, on/off, full/empty, open/closed, quiet/noisy, dark/fair, strong/weak, heavy/light, dirty/clean, interesting/boring, close/far, soft/hard

EXPRESSING FACT, EMOTION AND OPINION

Nice, fine, special, funny, different, hard, great, brilliant, fantastic, real

☺ interesting, fun, great, amazing, brilliant, excellent, good

☹ average, OK

☹ boring, dull, horrible, awful, terrible, rubbish

PLACES IN TOWN

School, zoo, park, bank, train station, railway station, swimming pool, shop, café, cinema, traffic lights, zebra crossing, pedestrian crossing, corner, pavement, phone box, post box, supermarket, post office, toy shop, clothes shop, museum, statue, square, hotel, bus stop, fountain, restaurant, garage, market, stadium, hospital, animal hospital, fire station, police station, church, castle, car park, toilets, tourist information office, library, town hall, youth hostel, art gallery, leisure centre, pub, petrol station

TRANSPORT

van, bus, bike, car, sports car, racing car, on foot, bus stop, scooter, plane, train, boat, sailing boat, ship, ferryboat, lorry, moped, coach, taxi, motorbike, underground/tube, double decker bus, cable car

JOBS

What's your father's job? What does your father do? What do you do?

My father is a I'm a ...

Doctor, nurse, dentist, vet, postman, policeman, electrician, secretary, actor/actress, bus driver, fireman, optician, hairdresser, engineer, mechanic, housewife, baker, butcher, farmer, sales agent, sales assistant, bank clerk, pilot, fire fighter, architect, builder, police officer, cashier, factory worker, flight attendant, office worker, retired, surveyor (perito, ispettore), lawyer/solicitor, footballer, plumber, singer, surgeon, dancer waiter/waitress, chef, taxi driver, receptionist, rock musician, DJ, tourist guide

SHOPS

Where can you buy/find ...?

Shoe shop, clothes shop, sports shop, bookshop, music store, boutique, toy shop, hairdresser, travel agency, department store, newsagent's, florist's, optician's, chemist's, barber's, baker's, stationer's, grocer's, butcher's, greengrocer's, jeweller's, tobacconist's, fishmonger's

ILLNESSES AND ACCIDENTS

What's the matter?

I've got a headache, a toothache, a stomach ache, a sore throat, a pain in my leg, a temperature, a cold, a cough

I've got flu, back ache, stomach ache, earache, toothache, hay fever (febbre da fieno)

I broke my arm

I hurt my foot

I cut my finger

I feel ill, tired, sick (nauseato), dizzy (con vertigini)

I sprained my wrist

TRAVELLING

Railway station, timetable, ticket office, single/return ticket, platform, arrivals/departures, toilets, waiting room, shop

HOLIDAYS

WATERSPORTS - swimming, windsurfing, sailing, waterskiing, surfing

ADVENTURE PARKS – going to a theme park, going to a water park, going to a wildlife park

BEACH LIFE – going to the beach, going to restaurants, playing volleyball, playing bat and ball

NEAR HOME – going out on my bike, meeting friends, having a picnic

COMMUNICATIONS

Letter – postcard – email – mobile – text message – voicemail – stamp – envelope – post box – the Internet/the net – website – blog

To write a letter – to send/post a letter – to get a letter/an email/a phone call from someone – to ring/phone/call someone – to email someone – to text someone – to leave a message – to check your messages – to surf the Net – to talk online – to phone someone on their mobile – to phone someone on their landline

EXTREME SPORTS

mountain boarding, skateboarding, kite surfing, free climbing, scuba diving, bungee jumping, windsurfing, river kayaking, sand boarding

SPORTS KIT AND LOCATIONS

Football boots, trainers, shorts, tracksuit, swimming trunks, swimming costume, football/rugby shirt, swimming goggles, helmet, tennis/badminton racket, table-tennis bat, golf clubs

GEOGRAPHICAL FEATURES

Mountain, volcano, glacier, lake, land, river, wave, ocean/sea, coast, hill, peninsula, beach, cliffs, desert, island, plain, forest, canyon, rainforest, waterfall, caves, glacier, gulf, dune, swamp, valley, pond, field, jungle

EXTREME WEATHER

Storm, floods (inondazioni), tsunامي, hurricane, tornado, earthquake, forest fire

TV PROGRAMMES

A cartoon, a documentary, a reality TV show, a game show, a quiz show, a nature programme, a sports programme, a soap opera, a hospital drama, the news, the weather, the adverts

TYPES OF FILM

A romantic comedy, a thriller, an action film, a sci-fi film, a historical drama, a horror film, a musical

LIVE MUSIC

Classical, jazz, blues, rap and hip-hop, country western, Latin, rock and pop, folk, soul, reggae, R&B (rhythm and blues), D&B (drum and bass), opera, traditional, techno, heavy metal

Choir (cuaiar), orchestra, lead singer, conductor, gig (ghig – concerto), recital, string instruments, brass instruments, wind instruments, percussion instruments

Clarinets and saxophones are wind instruments

The lead singer is the main voice of a group

A choir is a group of singers that usually sing in a church

Trumpets and trombones are brass instruments

The person who directs an orchestra is the conductor

A recital is a public performance of music or dance, especially by a solo performer

Violins and cellos are string instruments

An orchestra is a large group of musicians who play string, wind and brass instruments

Piano and drums are percussion instruments

A performance by jazz, pop or rock musicians is a gig

READING

It's at the end of the book and it contains an alphabetical list of the contents

It's the person who writes the book

It's a list of words with their definitions and pronunciation at the end of the book

It's the name of the book

It has the title, author, publisher and blurbs on it

It's the list of the contents and page numbers at the beginning of the book

It's at the end of the book and it contains extra information

It's at the end of the book and it lists the resources the author used

It's the company that makes the book

Two or three sentences about the book on the back book cover

Manual, biography, textbook, guide book, autobiography, detective story, encyclopaedia, fantasy book, historical novel, adventure story

Publisher, title, cover, author, blurb, table of contents, glossary, appendix, bibliography, index

vocabulary

HALLOWEEN

Goblin – witch – witch hat – ghost – pumpkin – bat – spider – skeleton – broom – black cat – web – vampire – hoot – spooky – mask – lantern – apple bobbing – owl – sweets – trick or treat – moon – night – mummy – monster – grave – werewolf – cauldron

CHRISTMAS

Merry Christmas – Christmas day – Christmas Eve – Father Christmas – Stocking – Angel – Decoration – Christmas tree – present – star – Christmas pudding – paper hat – cracker – turkey – ribbons – balls – candles – lights – toys – holly – mistletoe – wreath – crib – sleigh – candy cane – card – bell – reindeer – robin – tinsel

For Christmas time

I wish you ... peace, joy, serenity, love, luck, happiness

I would like ...

VALENTINE'S DAY

Flowers – send – hearts – kisses – handwriting – envelope – roses – violets – honey – 14th February – gift – love – friendship – rings – angels – in love with – chocolate – Cupid

EASTER

Happy Easter – Easter bunny – Easter tree – Easter basket – Easter eggs – chick – hot cross buns – daffodil – lamb – decorative eggs – chocolate eggs

_____ **festivities** _____

vowels	
IPA	words
ʌ	cup, luck, cupboard, upstairs, uncle, mum, hungry, colour, cousin, but
ɑ:	arm, father, can't, class, party, garden, half
æ	cat, black, can, thanks, Spanish
e	met, bed, men
ə	away, cinema, America
ɜ:r	turn, learn, word
ɪ	hit, sitting, his, sit
i:	see, heat, he's, three, tree, green, beetle, bee, read
ɒ	hot, rock, not
ɔ:	call, four
ʊ	put, could
u:	blue, food, foot, goose, book, football, school, classroom
aɪ	five, eye, my
aʊ	now, out, mouth, mouse, trousers
eɪ	say, eight, day
oʊ	go, home
ɔɪ	boy, join
eə	where, air
ɪə	near, here
ʊə	pure, tourist

FOR VERBS

/S/ likes

/Z/ goes, plays, does

/IZ/ watches

consonants	
IPA	words
b	bad, lab. bed
d	did, lady, do
f	find, if, five
g	give, flag, go
h	how, hello
j	yes, yellow
k	cat, back, kilo
l	leg, little
m	man, lemon
n	no, ten
ŋ	sing, finger
p	pet, map, pig
r	red, try
s	sun, miss
ʃ	she, crash, shop, shirt, sheep, ship, shoe, short
t	tea, getting, time
tʃ	check, church, cheese, cherry, chicken, chair, children
θ	think, three, birthday, thirteen, thank you, mouth both,
ð	The, this, mother
v	voice, five, very
w	wet, window, what, where, white
z	zoo, lazy
ʒ	pleasure, vision, casual
dʒ	just, large, judge

At school

teacher

- Sit down! Stand up! Shut up! Be quiet! Silence!
- Open/Close your books/the door/the window
- Open your book at page ...
- work in pairs / in group
- Take your book
- Put down your... / Pick up your... / Tidy up
- Put the red pen next to the yellow pencil
- Pens on the table!
- Relax!
- Come to the blackboard!
- Clean the blackboard!
- Go to the window!
- Touch the window!
- Go out! / Come in!
- Turn on/off the lights!
- Show me the door
- Give me your book
- Point to the window
- Look at the door
- Turn back
- Pay attention!
- It's your turn, now
- Hurry up!
- Well done / Fine / Brilliant
- Can you spell it? How do you spell that?
- Do you understand?
- Have you finished?
- Are you sure/ready?
- Is it clear?

teacher

- Listen / speak / read / write
- Repeat / chant / sing a song / circle / underline / ask and answer/ complete / draw / colour / label / tick / learn / teach / study / cut / copy / paste / count to ten / turn pages /put a tick or a cross / true/false / match / write the answers

student

- Can you repeat, please?
- I'm sorry, I can't understand. Could you repeat, please?
- What's the Italian/English for... ?
- What does "friend" mean?
- How do you say ... in English?
- I don't know
- sorry, I'm late / sorry for being late
- what page is it?
- can I borrow a pen?
- here/not here

student

- May/Can I go to the toilet, please? May/Can I drink, please? May/Can I stand up, please? May/Can I go out, please?
- May/Can I speak, please? May/Can I clean the blackboard? May/Can I have a snack? May/Can I clean the blackboard?
- / Please, Miss!

- well / you see / you know
- let's see
- thank you
- I'm sorry
- Don't worry
- Good idea
- Look out!
- After you
- Excuse me
- Cheers
- hurry up
- mind your business
- Me too
- What's up?
- what's wrong?
- I don't mind
- delicious / disgusting / amazing
- Actually
- what about ...?
- and you? what about you?
- I think ...
- that sounds interesting
- what for?
- Are you ready?
- Come on! Let's go!
- I'm not ready! Hang on!
- Oh, yeah! Of course!
- Stop it!
- Really?
- Yes, right!
- It's easy!
- Ok, then
- Cool!
- Don't be silly!
- It's only a ...
- Hi, guys!
- wow!
- bored / boring
- Busy
- Tidy
- Now
- That's enough!
- It's Laura – hang on a minute (on the phone)
- All the time
- Over
- So ...
- I look forward to ...
- I bet ...
- On time
- Would you like to ...?
- I had a lovely time
- Did you have a nice time?
- Guess
- It's not far

Everyday language

It's a long story
Here you are
Good luck
Have a good trip
Keep in touch
Come back soon
On your own
Even
All the way
It was like a ...
I'm fine
I'd like that
Leave me alone
I'm all right
Sounds good to me
It looks wonderful
I really enjoyed that

- eat, drink
- go, come, go out, come in
- shop
- wear
- meet
- choose
- dream
- cry
- fly
- phone
- wash
- wait
- see / look at
- Like / love / hate
- Clap your hands | touch your head | stamp your feet | shake your legs / click your fingers | fold your arms | stand up straight
- Let's go/jump/play
- Fall
- Open/close
- Start/stop
- Work/play
- Learn/teach
- Turn on/turn off
- Turn right/left
- Ask/answer
- Put on/take off
- Sit down/stand up
- Wake up/fall asleep
- Show/hide

Ordinary actions

Ask and say ...

- hello!
- nice to meet you / how do you do
- what's your name? / my name is...
- How do you spell that/your name?
- what's your surname? / my surname is...
- what's your family name? / my family name is...
- what's your full name?
- what's your nickname? / my nickname is...
- what's your telephone number? My telephone number is ...
- what's your mobile number? My mobile number is ... 0 (oh – UK/USA | zero – USA)
- what's your email address? My email address is ...
- what's your address? My address is ... (street / town / postcode)
- How old are you ? / I'm ... years old
- When's your birthday? My birthday is on the ... of ...
- When/where were you born? I was born in ... on ...
- Are you Italian? / Yes, I am
- Where are you from? / I'm from Venice
- Where do you come from? I come from Italy
- What nationality are you? I'm ...
- Where do you live? I live in Cava
- Do you speak English? / Yes, I do
- How are you? I'm fine, I'm well, I'm not well, I'm not very well, thank you, not too bad
- And you? What about you? I'm fine too
- Have you got any brothers or sisters? / Yes, I have
- Tell me about your sister: what's her name? How old is she? What's she like?
- Who is your best friend? My best friend is ...
- Tell me about your best friend: what's her/his name? How old is he/she?
- What's your favourite ...? / My favourite.... Is ...
- Who is your favourite singer / film star / footballer / football player? My favourite ... is ...
- Which music do you prefer, classical or jazz? I don't like classical music very much
- Do you like ...? / Yes, I do – I like/love/prefer/don't mind/hate/can't stand
- Can you ...? / Yes, I can / no, I can't
- What do you do in your spare/free time/early in the morning/on Saturday evening? (interests)
- See you

Introduce yourself

Introduce your best friend

- Have you got any brothers or sisters?
- How many brothers or sisters have you got?
- Tell me about your family
- Tell me about your sister: what's her name? how old is she? What's she like?
- Is your brother tall? Are his fingers long?
- What colour are his eyes?
- What's your mother's name?
- What does your mother do?
- Who is it/this? This is / it's my mum / it's me
- What do you / does he/she look like? I'm/he's/she's – I've got/he's got/she's got
- What are you / is he/she wearing? I'm/he's/she's wearing ...
- Who is your favourite singer / football player? Tell me about him / her
- Who is your best friend? Tell me about ...

Family and best friends

Pets

- Have you got any pets?
- What's its name?
- How old is it?
- What does it look like?
- What colour is it?
- What colour are its eyes?
- Is it big or small?
- Has it got a long tail?
- Where is it now?

Clothes and accessories

- What colour is your t-shirt? It's ...
- Is my t-shirt white? Yes, it is / No, it isn't
- What colour are your/her/his trousers? They are ...
- Are your glasses purple? Yes, they are / No, they aren't
- Have you got a new mobile? Yes, I have / No, I haven't
- Has he got a pair of glasses? Yes, he has / No, he hasn't
- Do you have ...? Yes, I do/No, I don't

In the classroom Possessions

- What's this/that? It's a/an...
- Is it/this a pen? Yes, it is / No, it isn't
- What are these/those? They are
- Are they/these/those posters? Yes, they are/No, they aren't
- What colour is it? It's ...
- Is it red? Yes, it is / No, it isn't
- What colour are they? They are ...
- Are they white? Yes, they are/No, they aren't
- Is there a desk in the classroom? Yes, there is / No, there isn't
- Are there any posters in the classroom? Yes, there are/No, there aren't
- How many ... are there ...? There are ... 1/2/3 ...
- Where's ...? It's ...
- Where are ...? They are ...
- The lamp is on the table. Is the pen in the pencil case?
- Is it my pen? Is it yours? Is it mine?
- Are they my glasses? Are they yours? Are they mine?
- There is/are ... There isn't/aren't
- Whose is the pen?/Whose are the pens? I think it's mine/I think they're yours/ They're Federico's
- Have you got a new mobile? Has he got a pair of glasses? Yes, I have / No, I haven't / Yes, he has / No, he hasn't

At school

- When's Maths? Maths is on ...
- When do you have Maths? We have Maths on ... at ..
- What lessons do you have on Tuesday mornings? I have ... on Tuesday mornings.
- Do you like English? Yes, I do / No, I don't
- Are you good at ...? Yes, I am / no, I am not
- What's your favourite lesson/subject? My favourite lesson/subject is ...
- Which subject don't you like? I don't like Maths
- What are your favourite lessons/subjects? My favourite lessons/subjects are ...
- How do you go to school? I go to school by ... / I walk
- How many hours do you study in the afternoon for your homework? I study 2 hours a day
- Where do you usually do your homework? I usually do my homework in my bedroom.
- Who is your favourite teacher? My favourite teacher is ...
- What's he/she like?/Tell me about your teacher. He/she is ...
- Is he/she a good teacher? Yes, he/she is

Time

- What's the time? What time is it?
- It's ... o'clock
- it's ... past/to ...
- it's a quarter past/to
- It's half past ...
- When's your birthday? Is your birthday in June? My birthday is on the seventh of June / It's in February
- When's the football match? It's on Friday 15th February at 4.45
- What's the date today? It's 20th December
- What day is it today? It's Monday
- What day is it today? And the month?
- What day is it tomorrow? And yesterday?
- What's the date today?
- How many days are there in a week?
- How many months are there in a year?
- What's the day before Tuesday?
- What's the day after tomorrow?
- What's the month before/after August?
- Is today Friday?
- When's Christmas?

Can

- Can I go to the toilet, please? (permission)
- Can I have a cup of tea, please? (request)
- It can rain tomorrow (possibility)
- They can play the guitar (ability) but they can't sing

House

- Do you live in a flat or in a house? I live in a flat/house/apartment
- Is it big or small? It's quite small / very big
- How many rooms are there? There's a kitchen, a bedroom, a living room ... there are three bedrooms
- What's your favourite room? Why? My favourite room is ... because ...
- Is there a balcony/garden/garage? Yes, there is / No, there isn't
- Where's your bedroom? It's opposite / next to ...
- What's in your bedroom / the kitchen? In the kitchen / in my bedroom there's / there are a cooker, a fridge, a desk,
- Tell me about your bedroom
 - Where's your bedroom? It's opposite / next to ...
 - What's in your bedroom? In my bedroom there's a desk,
 - Where's the wardrobe? It's near/opposite/behind ...
 - What colour is your bed? It's orange
 - Is there a ... in your bedroom? Yes, there is / No, there isn't
 - Are there any ...? Yes, there are / No, there aren't
 - Who do you live with? I live with my
 - Who lives in your house with you?

Daily routine and spare time

- What do you do on Monday? I get up at ...
- What do you do in your spare/free time? In my spare/free time I ...
- What do you do after school?
- What sports do you play?
- What time do you ...? I ... at ...
- When do you ...? I ... on ...
- Where do you ...?

- Who do you with?
- How often do you ...? I ... every/once/twice/on ...
- How do you go to school? I go to school by bus/car/scooter/on foot
- Do you ever ...? / Are you ever late for school?

Meals

- What time do you have breakfast/lunch/dinner?
- I have breakfast/lunch/dinner at ...
- What do you have for breakfast/lunch/dinner?
- What do you have in your sandwich / roll?
- How many sandwiches do you have every day? How much chocolate does he have every day? I have ... he has ...
- How much cake do you want? Just one piece, please
- How many eggs do you want? Three, please
- Would you like a cup of tea? Yes, please
- Would you like some water? No, thanks
- I have ... for breakfast/lunch/dinner
- Can I have some ..., please?

Temporary present actions

- What are you doing now? I'm ...
- Are you swimming? Yes, I am / No, I am not
- Here are some people. What's she doing? Is she swimming?
- Is he swimming? Yes, he is / No, he isn't
- What are they doing?
- Are they drinking? Yes, they are / No, they aren't

In a town

- Excuse me, where's the bank?
- Excuse me, can you tell me the way to ...?
- Excuse me, how do I get to the bank?
- Go straight on at the roundabout!
- Turn left at the crossroads!
- Turn right!
- It's on the left.
- It's on the right.
- At the traffic light turn left
- At the corner
- At the zebra crossing turn right
- Take the second turning on the right
- Go past the bank
- Come out of the ...
- Cross the road at the pedestrian crossing
- Go along this road
- Walk to the end of Penny lane
- Thank you!
- what's in your town?
- there's a ... in my town
- I live in ...
- Are there any cinemas or theatres where you live?
- Is your school near your home?
- What is your favourite place where you live?
- What's the best pizzeria?
- How many banks are there?

Jobs

- I'm a mechanic. I repair cars
- What does he do? He's a mechanic
- What does your father do?
- What's your mother's job?
- Where does your father work?
- I'd like to be a vet

In a shop

- Good morning! Can I help you?
- Good morning! I'd like some chicken, please / Can I have some chicken, please?
- Yes, here you are/No, sorry
- Thank you! How much is that?
- £ 1.10p please
- Here you are
- Thank you, goodbye
- Goodbye

Obligations and prohibitions

Must

- Listen to me
- Tidy your room
- Be quiet
- Switch off your mobile in class
- Wear school uniforms

Mustn't

- Speak Italian
- Use your mobile phone in class

ROAD SIGNS

Must

- wear a seatbelt
- stop
- turn right/left
- go straight on
- walk

Mustn't

- walk on the grass
- talk
- overtake
- pick the flowers
- leave litter
- use mobile phones
- eat food
- take photographs
- smoke

Have to

- What sort of things do you have to do at home? I have to tidy my room and I have to take the dog for a walk
- Do you have to help with the shopping?

School

Comparing

What's your best grade this year?
My best grade this year is in
My worst grade this year is in
The easiest subject for me is ...
The most difficult subject for me is ...
The best student in my class is ...

Friends and family

My best friend is ...
The oldest person in my family is ...
The youngest person in my family is ...
The most important person in my life is

My town

The tallest building is ...
The nicest part of my town is ...
The best pizzeria is ...

Animals

A cheetah is faster than a lion
A lion is as strong as an elephant

ARE YOU STRESSED?

YESTERDAY ...

Part 1

- Did you sleep well?
- Did you have a good breakfast?
- Did you have a long, hot shower or bath?
- Did you listen to music?
- Did you read a magazine or a book?
- Did you go for a walk?
- Did you do sport or exercise?
- Did you have a massage or a sauna?
- Did you go out with friends?
- Did you watch TV?
- Did you relax after dinner?
- Did you go to bed early?

Part 2

- Did you wake up early?
- Did you drive a car or moped?
- Did you go to school late?
- Did you phone more than five people?
- Did you get angry?
- Did you feel worried?
- Did you forget something important?
- Did you smoke more than two cigarettes?
- Did you sleep less than seven hours?
- Did you study more than eight hours?
- Did you have more than two cups of coffee?
- Did you have a meal standing up?

Calculate your score

Part 1 – each YES = +1

Part 2 – each YES = -1

-7 to -12 : you're very stressed. Change your life style quickly

-6 to -1 : be careful! You're quite stressed. Life's short. Try to work less, to relax more and to decide what's really important.

0 to 5 : you're quite busy and a little stressed at the moment. Learn to relax more and enjoy a long and happy life.

6 to 12 : congratulations! You're very lucky! You have a very stress-free life! Are you on a holiday?!

- Where were you yesterday/last night/last week/yesterday afternoon/yesterday morning/on Sunday afternoon?
- Where were you at 8 o'clock this morning? I was on the bus
- Were you at home on Saturday/yesterday?

Past events

- When were you born?
- Where were you born?
- I had blond hair when I was five
- Yesterday I had meat for lunch
- What was the matter with you? I had a sore throat
- Last week I broke my arm at school
- Last month my brother hurt his leg in the gym
- Last year my friend cut her finger at home
- Did you watch the Simpsons / play football / listen to the radio yesterday /last night / last weekend / last Sunday?
- What did you do on Monday? I got up at ...
- What time did you ...? I ... at ...
- When did you ...? I ... on ...
- Where did you ...?
- Who did you with?
- How did you ?
- What time did you have breakfast/lunch/dinner?
- What did you have for breakfast/lunch/dinner?

- I was having a shower when there was a blackout
- what were you doing yesterday when ...?
- I was wearing a
- in the picture the young man was wearingthe little girl was eating a sandwich

Past continuous events

- What's your favourite kind of summer holiday? A beach/watersports/touring holiday
- What's your favourite kind of winter holiday? A skiing/snowboarding holiday – a holiday in a warm place
- What's your favourite way to travel? By plane/car/train/coach
- Where do you like staying? At a hotel – in a villa or an apartment – at a campsite
- What's your ideal day out? I like going to theme parks or water parks / zoos or wildlife parks / big cities
- What's your favourite season for a holiday? Spring/summer/winter/autumn
- What makes a successful holiday? The weather/cost/accommodation/activities that are available/food
- How often do you go on holiday each year? Once/twice/three times

- Where did you go for your last holiday?

- How long did you spend there?
- What did you like about it?

- What didn't you like about it?
- Which countries do you want to visit in the future?

- Where were you last summer holiday? I was (at home / in Greece / with my family/my friends)
- What was the weather like? It was hot/sunny/very nice/OK
- Was there a great beach/a swimming pool/a river/nothing much to do?
- Were there any great beaches?

Describe your last summer holiday

- how was your holiday?
- it was OK
- where did you go on holiday last summer?
- Last summer I went to
- when did you go on holiday?
- I went in July
- how long did you go for?
- I have been there for two weeks
- Who did you go with?
- I went with my family / friends
- How did you get there?
- I got there by bus / car / train / plane
- Was there much to do?
- Yes, there was. First we played football with some other children. After that we went for a walk and finally we visited a beautiful lake
- What sport did you do?
- I played volleyball, ...
- What did you have for breakfast?
- I had for breakfast, ... for lunch, for dinner ... I liked ... very much and my favourite ... was ...
- What did you buy as a souvenir?
- There were very nice so I bought ...
- What was the weather like?
- it was fantastic: sunny and hot, but it also rained
- What did you visit?
- I visited
- Did you like this place?
- Yes, I did
- Why? - Because ...

- What are you doing after school today? I'm doing my homework. Then I'm going to my dance lesson
- What are you doing on Friday evening / on Saturday morning / tomorrow?

Future events

- What are you going to do after school today?
- What are you going to watch on TV this evening? I'm going to watch the Simpsons
- What kind of job are you going to do? I'm going to be a doctor
- In the future I'm going to learn foreign languages / do an interesting job / buy a new car / get a pet / visit foreign countries / try a new sport

- where are you going to go on holiday next summer?
- next summer I'm going to go to
- when are you going to go on holiday?
- I'm going to go in July
- how long are you going to stay for?
- I'm going to stay there for two weeks
- Who are you going to go with?
- I'm going to go with my family / friends

your next summer

- How are you going to get there?
- I'm going to get there by bus / car / train / plane
- What sport are you going to do?
- I'm going to play volleyball, ...
- What are you going to buy as a souvenir?
- I'm going to buy ... as souvenir
- are you going to visit?
- I'm going to visit....

- Will Lucy like the book? Yes, she will.
- Will computers replace teachers in 2025?
- Will people live on Mars in 2070?
- Will everyone speak English in 2050?
- Will you go to university after high school?

Previsions Ideas about the future

- Let's ...
- Why don't we ...?
- What/How about ...?
- We could ...

Suggestions

- this week I've played basketball. I've been to the beach. I've tried to write an email in English
- have you been to the beach/played football/seen a film/read any good books/checked your emails? Yes, I have
- when did you go? I went two year ago

- have you ever climbed a mountain/swum in a lake/walked in a forest/been to a desert/seen the ocean/eaten fish and chips/met a film star/cooked dinner/danced in the street/seen a ghost/coloured your hair/been frightened/been to another country/lived in another country/been on television/stayed up all night/won a competition/cut your own hair/met anyone famous/made a wish that has come true/lost your purse or your wallet/written a song/fallen off a horse?

- Have you tried bungee jumping yet? Yes, I've already tried it / No, I haven't tried it yet. But I'm going to do it next week.

- How long have you ... been here / studied English / lived in your town / known your best friend?
- I have lived in Milan for ... years/months/ages/a long time
- I have worked/been at school since 2006/September/last year
- I haven't had a holiday since I was ten
- I haven't been to the cinema since last month

Experiences

- where do you live? – I live in ... it's a big city/town/village near ...
- How long have you lived there? I've lived there for .. / since ...
- What do you like about your town? The best thing is ... I like it because ...
- What do you do in your free time? It depends. I sometimes ... At the weekend I ... I like ...
- What's your favourite place in your country? Why? I really like ... because ...
- Have you ever been to other countries? Which was your favourite and why? I've been to ... and ... My favourite place was ... because ...
- When you meet friends in town, where do you usually go? And what do you do? We usually go to ... we sometimes .. and we sometimes ...

My town

- What are your plans for your next weekend? If the weather is nice, I'll... but if it's raining or cold, I'll ...

- If you heat water to 100°, it boils
- If you break your leg, you can't run
- If you go to China you need a passport

- if you're free on Friday evening, we'll go to the pizzeria
- if you break a mirror, you'll have bad luck
- if the sky is red tonight, it will be fine tomorrow
- if you tidy your room, your mum will be happy
- if we're lucky, we'll find the book
- If we find the book, we'll be happy
- If he doesn't study, he will not pass the exam
- If he doesn't pass the exam, he won't be happy
- if they don't find the ticket, they won't go to the concert

Conditions

- If my TV broke, I would cry
- If I won money, I would travel a lot
- If I lost my mobile, I would cry
- If I saw an alien, I would scream
- If I were a teacher, I would ...
- If I were president for a day, I would ...
- If I met Justin Bieber, I would ...

Reporting

- the teacher told you to close the door (close the door!)
- The teacher asked you to close the door (could you close the door, please?)

a teacher/student should

- arrive on time
- be polite
- listen to ...
- be honest with ...

advice

a teacher/student shouldn't

- get angry
- shout
- chew gum
- use a mobile in class

- what do you watch on TV?

Well, I watch cartoons, like *The Simpsons*, and films. I sometimes watch quiz shows, like *Who wants to be a Millionaire?* I don't like reality TV shows. In fact, I can't stand them. I know that they're watched by millions of people, but they're so boring.

What sort of films do you like, and why?

I like all sorts of films. I like the *Lord of the rings* films. Elijah Wood is such a good actor, and the special effects in the last film were fantastic. It was filmed in New Zealand. I'd love to go there to see the locations.

- What was it called?
- Who were the main parts played by?

- Where was it set?

- When was it set?
- Who was it directed by?

TV programmes and films

- Were any special effects used? If so, what for?

Tell me about ...

- hello!
- my name is... and my nickname is...
- my email address is ...
- I'm ... years old
- my birthday is on ...
- I was born in ...
- I'm from ... – I come from ... I'm (nationality)
- I live in ...
- I speak Italian and a bit of English too
- I have got one sister her name is ... she is ... years old
- my favourite.... is ...
- I like ... but I don't like
- I can ... but I can't ...
- In my spare time I like
- I'm ...- I've got ... (physical description) (personality)
- I'm wearing ...

Tell me about yourself

My best friend is John.
His surname is Smith and his nickname is Batman.
He is 12 years old.
He is tall and slim and she has got blue eyes and long hair.
He likes swimming and his favourite animal is cat.
Now he is playing tennis.

Tell me about your best friend

In my family there are ... people: my mother, my father, my brother/sister and me.
My mother is Mary.
She is 30 years old.
She is tall and slim and she has got blue eyes and long hair.
She likes dancing and her favourite animal is cat.
Now she is at home.

Tell me about your family

My favourite animal is ...
It's a pet/wild/farm animal
It's from ...
It's big/small/long/short
It's brown/black ...
It's got two wings, four legs, a big nose, a beak, a long tail, stripes, spots, horns, a trunk, a long neck, two big ears
It can fly, run fast, walk, swim, climb, jump
It likes eating my sandwiches

Tell me about your favourite animal

<p>I live in a flat/house/apartment It's quite small / very big There are 7 rooms: a kitchen, a bedroom, a living room ... The bathroom is opposite/behind/..... My favourite room is ... because ... There is also a garden/garage with trees, flowers and plants In the kitchen there is a big fridge</p> <p>My bedroom is opposite my parents' bedroom It's quite big with a balcony and a window. There is: a wardrobe opposite the bed, a desk and a chair next to the window, ... There are some posters on the wall and there is a picture above my bed. I live with my</p>	<p>Tell me about your house/bedroom</p>
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<p>I usually walk to school. I'm never late. I'm usually the first to arrive. School is great. I like English, History, Science and Maths. I'm good at everything. I'm always in Science. My favourite subject is Art. I have five lessons a day. School starts at 8.40. Break is at 10.50, and lunch is at 1.05. School finishes at 3.05 My favourite day is Tuesday. On Tuesday, we have Science, Art, ICT, Geography and Music</p>	<p>Tell me about your school day</p>
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<p>I usually ... I get up at 6.30, I usually have a shower. Then I have breakfast and I have milk and biscuits for breakfast I always brush my teeth after breakfast. I usually walk to school. I'm never late. I'm usually the first to arrive. School's great! I like English, History, Science and Maths. I'm good at everything. I'm always top in science. When I get home, I sometimes take the dog for a walk. On school days, I never go out with friends. I stay in and do my homework. At the weekend, I often help at home. I twice a week/every day/on Monday in my spare time</p>	<p>Tell me about your daily routine</p>
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<p>On Monday morning I go to school at ... with ... by ... My favourite subject is ... In the evening I like ... On Saturday evening I ... at... in ... with ... Then I have dinner. I have meat and pasta for dinner I go to bed early/late in the evening because ...</p>	<p>Tell me about your week</p>
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I went to ... last summer in July.

I have been there for two weeks.

I got there by bus.

I had a lovely time. Ireland was great.

There was nothing much to do, but the people were really friendly

I played ... and I liked but my favourite sport was ...

There was a big river near the farm in Wales.

We visited the castle and the museum.

First, then, after that we

I was with my family/friends

It was hot/sunny/very nice/OK

There was / were a great beach/some great beaches/a swimming pool/a river/

I had for breakfast, ... for lunch, for dinner ... I liked ... very much and my favourite ... was ...

We ate ... and drank ... I liked ... very much, but my favourite ... was ...

There were very nice so I bought ...

I visited

I liked this place very much because ...

Tell me about your last summer holiday

- next summer I'm going to go to in July

- I'm going to stay there for two weeks

- I'm going to go with my family / friends

- I'm going to get there by bus / car / train / plane

- I'm going to play volleyball, ...

- I'm going to buy ... as souvenir

- I'm going to visit....

Tell me about your next summer holiday

functions and linguistic structures/exponents

ALPHABET AND SPELLING

A b c d e f ...

NUMBERS

Cardinals - Ordinals

1 – 100

ADJECTIVES AND USE

DEFINITE ARTICLE The

INDEFINITE ARTICLES A, an

DEMONSTRATIVES This, these, that, those | **Demonstrative pronouns** This one, these ones, that one, those ones

PERSONAL PRONOUNS subject /object pronouns

POSSESSIVE ADJECTIVES / POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS

REFLEXIVE PRONOUNS

RELATIVE PRONOUNS *who, which, that*

POSSESSIVE 'S

THERE IS / THERE ARE

FREQUENCY ADVERBS

Never – rarely/seldom – sometimes – often – usually – always – ever

FREQUENCY EXPRESSIONS

Once/twice/three times a day/week/month/year, every day/morning/night/month/year, on Monday, at 7.00, in July

PREPOSITIONS

Place (in – on – under – behind – in front of – near – above – over - next to/beside – opposite – between – inside, outside, by, among, through, at, to, from)

Time (in – months/years/seasons/parts of day, on – days/date, at – time/night/the weekend/weekends/lunchtime)

Other (with, for, of, at, by)

Motion (into – up – down – over – under – across – along – past – through - towards)

LINKERS and, but, or, first, then, after that, finally because, so, when, as, if

COUNTABLE/UNCOUNTABLE NOUNS

SOME/ANY

Somebody, someone, something, somewhere

Anybody, anyone, anything, anywhere

Everybody, everyone, everything, everywhere

Nobody, none, nothing, nowhere

ADJECTIVES AND ADVERBS

Quick – quickly

Good – well

Hard – hard (hardly = a stento)

Fast - fast

COMPARATIVES AND SUPERLATIVES

Big – bigger ... than (vocale + consonante = consonante raddoppia)
 The biggest ... in the ...
 Important – more important – the most important
 Irregular (good – better – the best, bad – worse – the worst, funny – funnier – the funniest)

Q UANTITY

Affirmative - numerabili (a lot of, lots of, a few) – non numerabili (a lot of, lots of, a little)
 Negative - numerabili (many) – non numerabili (much)
 Interrogative - numerabili (how many) – non numerabili (how much)
 QUITE/VERY/A LOT OF/LOTS OF/MUCH/MANY/SOME/ANY/TOO

TOO/NOT ... ENOUGH

PLURALS

regular: s
 irregular: man/men, woman/women, child/children, person/people, tooth/teeth, foot/feet, mouse/mice, louse/lice (pidocchio), ox/oxen, sheep/sheep, fish/fish, deer/deer, goose/geese, penny/pence,
 s – ss - sh – ch – x – z - o: es (bus, glass, match, box, potato) (exceptions: photos, videos, pianos)
 y preceduto da consonante: ies (lady, baby)
 f/fe: ves (life, calf, leaf, half, knife, shelf, loaf, thief, wife, wolf)
 termini latini: plurale latino (crisis/crises, oasis/oases, phenomenon/phenomena, datum/data)
 cognomi: Mrs Anderson/the Andersons

VERBS

Present simple of To be (affirmative, negative, question, short answers)
 Present simple of To have (affirmative, negative, question, short answers)
 Present simple of regular verbs (affirmative, negative, question, short answers)
 Have – have got
 Play – play the
 Present simple of can (affirmative, negative, question, short answers) – permission, requests, possibility, ability
 Present continuous
 I love/like/prefer/enjoy/don't mind/can't stand/hate + ing form
 Verb followed by *to* + infinitive, verb followed by *-ing* form
 Imperative (affirmative and negative)
 Present simple vs. present continuous
 Past simple of To be (affirmative, negative, questions, short answers)
 Past simple of regular verbs (affirmative, negative, questions, short answers)
 Past simple of irregular verbs (affirmative, negative, questions, short answers)
 Past continuous
 Would like to ...
 Must/mustn't
 Present continuous for future (fixed plans)
 Future with going to (intentions/predictions)
 The future with *will*
 Could/couldn't
 Suggestions (we could, let's, why don't we ..?, what about ...?)
 Polite requests (could you please ...?)
 Have to
 May/might
 The past participle
 The present perfect simple: regular and irregular
 The present perfect simple with ever and never
 Been and gone
 Present perfect with *just, already and yet*
 Present perfect with *for and since*
 Present perfect or past simple
 Tell and ask

Must e can't
Should / shouldn't
Must / should
Will / shall

Present simple passive
Past simple passive

IF CLAUSES

Zero conditional
First conditional
Second conditional

EXCLAMATIONS WITH SO / SUCH A

QUESTION TAGS

SO / NEITHER

SUGGESTING

Suggestions (let's, why don't we ..?, what about ...? how about ...? would you like ... we could, we should | if I were you I would ...

POSTCARD WRITING (Dear – come soon – love – signature)

LETTER WRITING (Dear – write soon – love – bye for now - signature)

EMAIL WRITING

BLOG WRITING

QUESTION WORDS

What, who, when, where, why (+ because), how, whose, which
How much/many + nouns | how + adjective

PUNCTUATION

comma (,) full stop (.) colon (:) semicolon (;) exclamation mark (!) question mark (?) dash (-) underscore (_) apostrophe (') dot dot dot (...) quotation marks ("") brackets (round, square, curly) example given (e.g.) new line

TIPS	
Describe ... Tell me about ... Ask me about ... What about...?	Well I can see... Sorry, I can't understand, could you repeat, please? I don't know And you?

DESCRIBE A PICTURE	
Well, I can see ... in the picture There is ... there are ... How many ... What colour Where Why What they are wearing / doing What do they look like? Are they happy or sad? What else can you see in the picture?	At the top / at the bottom On the right / on the left On the right side / on the left side In the centre / in the middle In the corner in the top left-hand corner in the bottom left-hand corner in the top right-hand corner in the bottom right-hand corner In the foreground / in the background Maybe A lot of Some

SPIDERGRAMS

MY LAST SUMMER HOLIDAY / MY NEXT SUMMER HOLIDAY

- Where
- When
- Who with
- How long
- What
 - See
 - Buy
 - Visit
 - Do
 - Eat / drink
 - Sport
- How
- Why

_____ other _____